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**BUT, TED, I AM TEACHING YOU HOW TO DANCE!  
ALL YOU HAVE TO DO IS WATCH  
ASHLEY AND ME!**







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HYA LOVE DOVE!  
ARE YOU ALL SET  
TO GO TO THE  
HARTWICK FALL  
FESTIVAL  
THIS AFTERNOON?

I AM, BUT I'M AFRAID POP  
HAS **OTHER IDEAS!** I HAVE  
TO MIND THE STORE FOR  
HIM WHILE HE'S OUT  
OF TOWN!



WHAT?? BUT  
THIS IS THE  
DAY OF THE BIG  
COMMUNITY  
TREASURE HUNT!

I'M SORRY, TED! BUT I'LL HAVE  
TO STAY HERE ALL DAY! AS  
THE OLD SAYING GOES,  
"BUSINESS BEFORE  
TREASURE!"



B-BUT BE REASONABLE  
BABY-DOLL! THIS IS  
AN OCCASSION!  
THEY ONLY HAVE THE  
FALL FESTIVAL  
ONCE A YEAR!

I KNOW! .. BUT  
I HAVE TO EAT  
EVERY DAY!





WHAT A DRAG! ISN'T THERE ANY WAY I CAN GET YOU OUT OF THIS ELECTRIFIED CHAMBER OF HORRORS?

SURE! ALL YOU HAVE TO DO IS BUY 2 HUNDRED DOLLARS WORTH OF SUPPLIES! THAT'S AN ORDINARY DAY'S SALES!

ISN'T THERE SOME WAY THAT DOESN'T INVOLVE MONEY? I'M SO FLAT NOW, I COULD CRAWL IN THAT CLOTHES WRINGER WITHOUT TOUCHING THE SIDES!

THEN IT LOOKS LIKE I'M STUCK HERE FOR THE DAY!

WAIT!! I HAVE IT!! THESE NEW FANG-LED VACUUM CLEANERS SELL FOR EXACTLY 200 DOLLARS!

SO WHAT? BETWEEN THE TWO OF US WE COULDN'T PAY THE BATTERY BILL TO RUN IT FOR 30 SECONDS!



I'M NOT GOING TO BUY IT, SILLY! I'M GOING TO SELL IT! AFTER ALL, I'M NOT TAKING A CLASS IN SALESMANSHIP FOR NOTHING!

GLEEPS TED! DO YOU REALLY THINK YOU COULD? ONE SALE LIKE THAT AND WE COULD CLOSE SHOP FOR THE DAY!



BABY, IF IT MEANT GOING OUT WITH YOU, I COULD SELL SUSPENDERS TO A NUDIST!

WELL, I SHOULD HOPE SO!



AH, HERE COMES A CUSTOMER NOW! JUST WATCH MY SALES TECHNIQUE! THAT 200 HUNDRED DOLLARS IS PRACTICALLY IN THE CASH REGISTER ALREADY!

MY HERO!



I NEED A 25 CENT PLUG FOR MY TOASTER!

YOU'RE IN LUCK, MADAM! WE'RE HAVING A SPECIAL TIE-IN-SALE ON 25 CENT PLUGS TODAY! FOR THE SMALL ADDITIONAL SUM OF 199 DOLLARS AND SEVENTY FIVE CENTS, WE'LL THROW IN THIS VACUUM CLEANER!





BUT I DON'T NEED  
A VACUUM CLEANER!  
ALL I NEED IS  
A PLUG!

**NONSENSE** MADAM,  
**EVERYONE** NEEDS A  
NEW ZIPPO! NO WALL  
SOCKETS NECESSARY!  
IT WORKS ON BATTERIES!  
LET ME DEMONSTRATE  
HOW EASY IT IS TO  
OPERATE!



**VERY WELL!** IF YOU DON'T  
WANT TO SELL ME A  
PLUG, I'LL BUY IT ACROSS  
THE STREET!

I THINK WE'VE GOT HER  
HOOKED! SHE SEEMS  
TO BE STRONGLY  
DRAWN TO IT!



**YOU YOUNG IDIOT!!** LOOK  
WHAT YOU'VE DONE!!  
HOW CAN I EVER WEAR  
THIS DRESS AGAIN??

M-MAYBE SHORT  
SKIRTS WILL COME  
BACK AGAIN!



**WELL!!** ADDING **INSULT** TO **INJURY!**  
YOU YOUNG CLOWN!! YOU'LL  
HEAR FROM MY **LAWYER**  
ABOUT THIS!

IF HE'S GOT  
A VOICE  
LIKE A **BIRD**  
I'M HEARING  
FROM HIM  
**RIGHT NOW!**



**WHAT A FIX!** NOT ONLY WILL  
WE HAVE TO SPEND  
**TODAY HERE... BUT**  
**TOMORROW IN**  
**COURT!**

..AND MAYBE  
THE **NEXT**  
**DAY IN**  
**JAIL!**





THERE'S ONLY ONE THING LEFT TO DO, TED DAWSON! YOU'VE GOT TO TAKE THAT VACUUM CLEANER FROM HOUSE-TO-HOUSE AND TRY TO SELL IT!

B-BUT, CANDY! I'M NOT A GOOD DOOR-TO-DOOR SALESMAN!

I'M MORE THE INDOOR TYPE!

O'CONNOR'S ELECTRICAL SHOP

YOU'LL BE INDOORS FOR THE NEXT TWENTY YEARS IF YOU DON'T SELL THAT VACUUM! WE'VE GOT TO RAISE THE MONEY SOMEWHERE TO PAY FOR THAT WOMAN'S DRESS!

MAYBE YOU'RE RIGHT! I GUESS IT'S BETTER TO HAVE A FEW DOORS SLAMMED IN YOUR FACE THAN A JAIL DOOR BEHIND YOUR BACK!

AH! HERE'S A FAMILY THAT LOOKS RICH ENOUGH TO AFFORD A VACUUM-CLEANER!

NO PEDDLERS ALLOWED

-- ULP!! AND A WATCH-DOG TOO! A-ALL RIGHT FIDO! I'M LEAVING! N-NICE BOY!

RR-OWRR!!

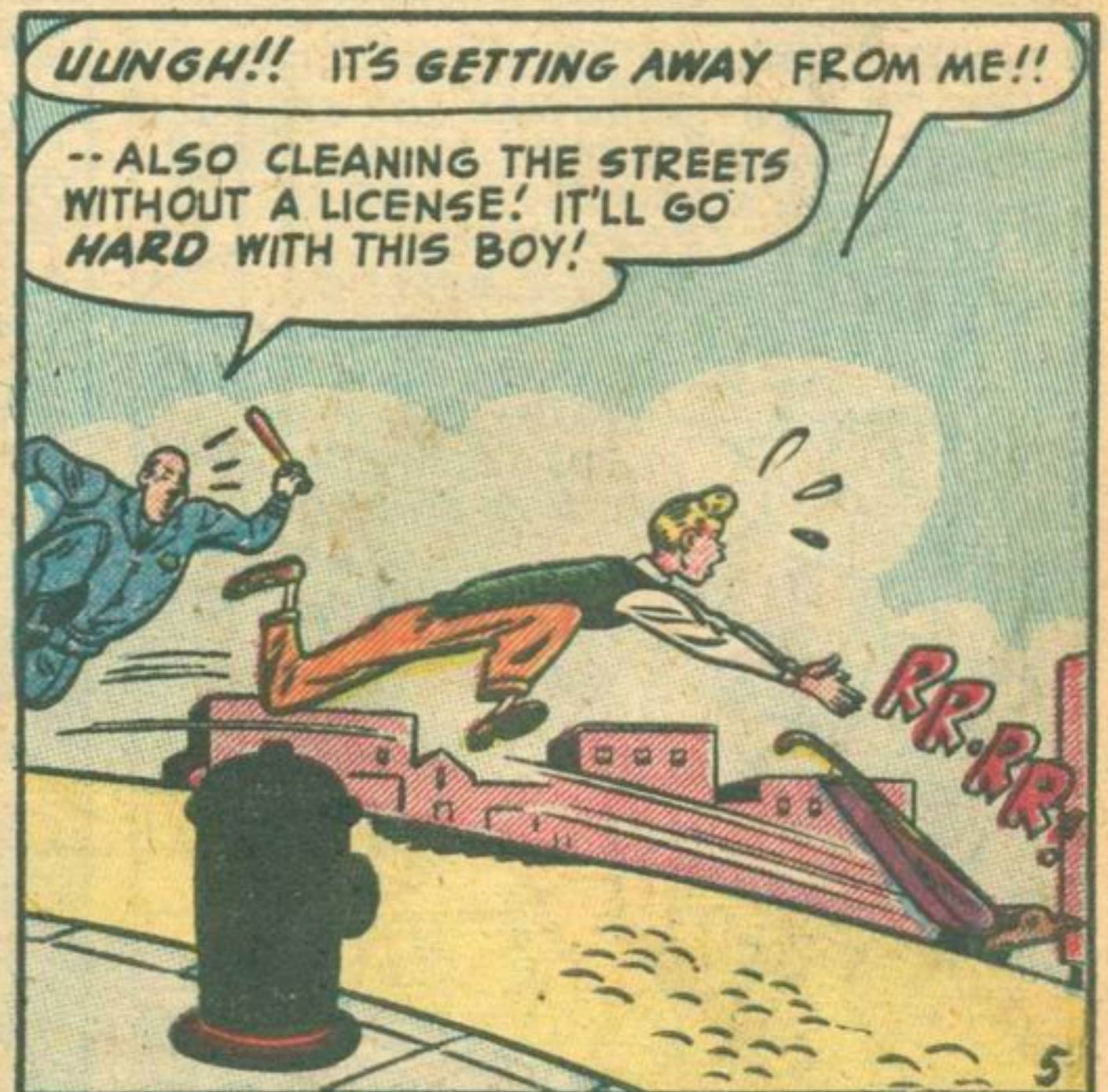
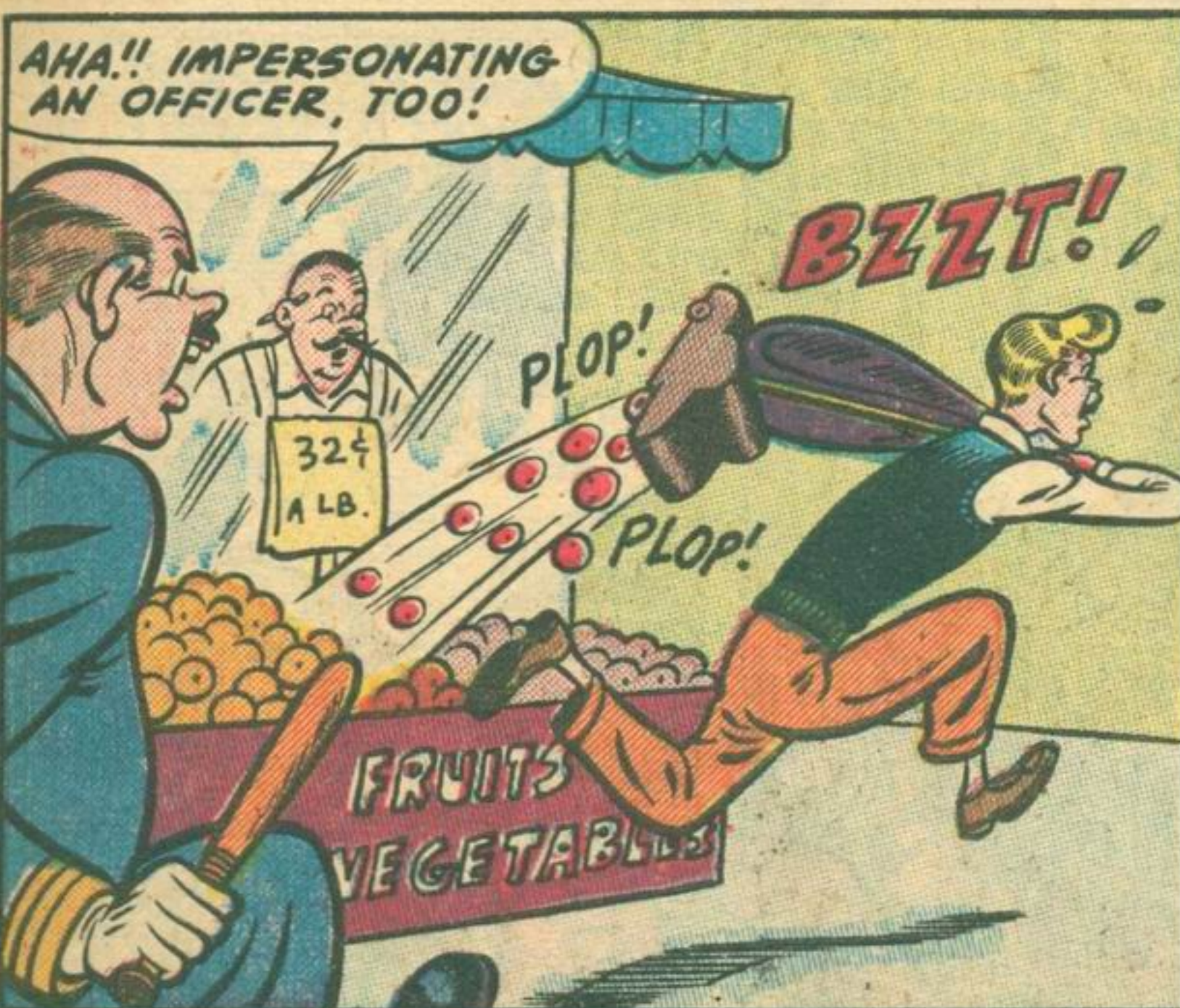
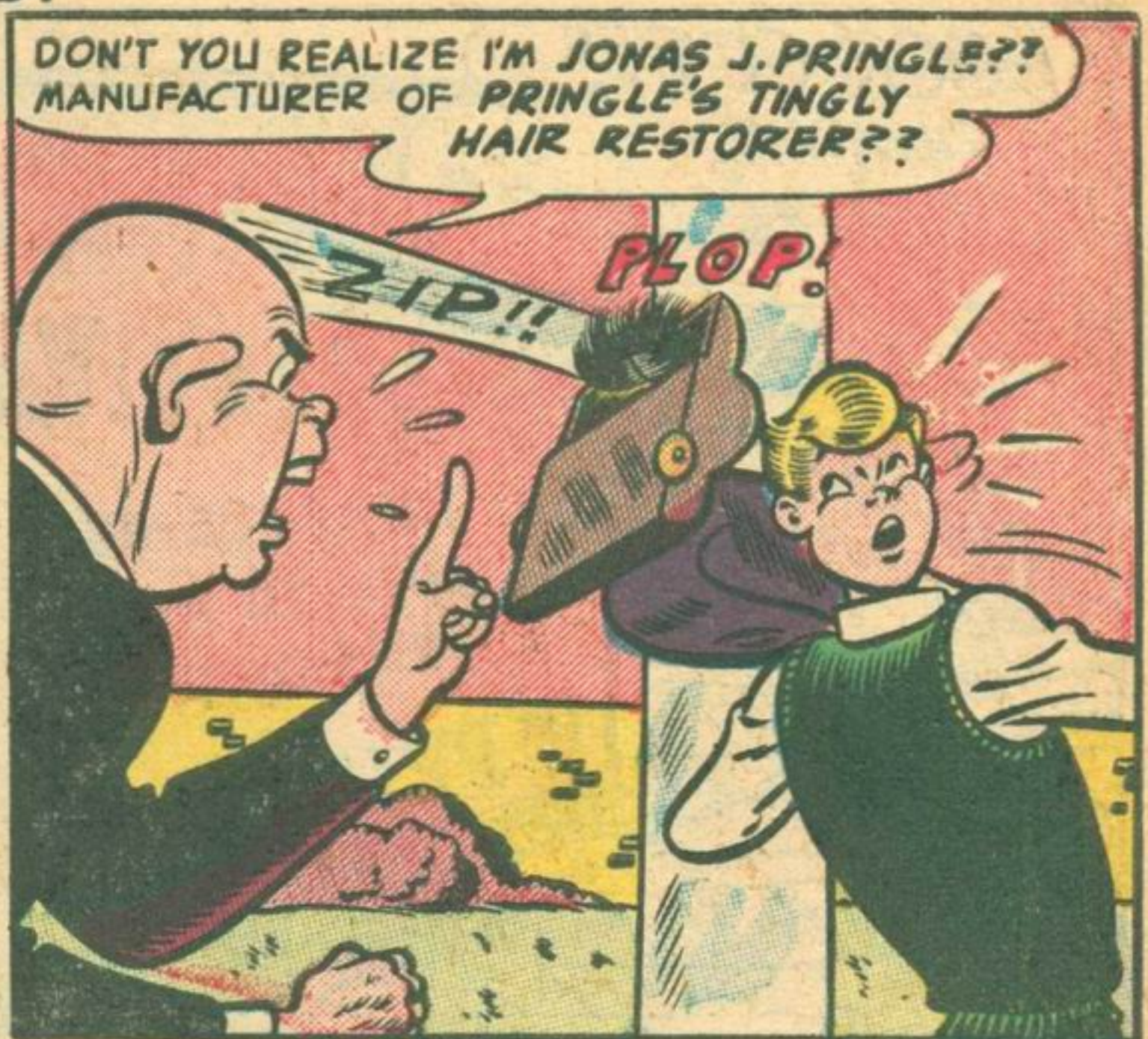
HUH?

WHIRR!!  
PLOP!!

WELL I'LL BE GROUND FOR CHOPPED BEEF! (WHICH I ALMOST WAS) THOSE ARE HIS TEETH IN THERE!

HEY!! I COULD BECOME A DENTIST WITH ONE OF THESE CONTRAPTIONS!







**LOOK OUT!!**  
-- RUNAWAY  
VACUUM-CLEANER!!

**HARTWICK  
FALL FESTIVAL**

**BIG TREASURE-HUNT  
OPEN TO ALL  
RESIDENTS**

**1<sup>ST</sup> PRIZE = \$300**

**ZOOM!!**

--AND NOW TO ANNOUNCE THE WINNER  
OF THE **BIG TREASURE HUNT!**

**I'M ALL  
AFLUTTER!**

**EEEEEEK!!**

**INVASION!!**

**BUMP**

WHO ON EARTH DOES  
**THIS** BELONG TO??

**HERE'S THE GUILTY  
CULPRIT, MA'M! DO  
YOU WANT TO PRESS  
CHARGES?**

**I SHOULD SAY NOT!!  
DON'T YOU REALIZE  
HE'S THE WINNER OF  
THE TREASURE HUNT?**

HOW'S  
THAT  
AGAIN?

THE **300 DOLLARS** GOES TO  
THIS YOUNG MAN FOR BEING THE  
**ONLY PERSON TO BRING BACK  
THE COMPLETE LIST OF  
TREASURES!**

-- A DOZEN APPLES!  
-- A PART OF A WOMAN'S  
DRESS-- A POLICEMAN'S  
HAT-- A SET OF  
FALSE TEETH  
-- AND A WIG!

NOW DON'T  
GET SO  
EXCITED  
OVER A  
DOZEN  
APPLES!  
IT'S ALL  
FOR  
CHARITY!

**MUNCH!**

SINCE WHEN  
ARE YOU A  
CHARITABLE  
INSTITUTION?

OH, TED, HOW **WONDERFUL!** WITH THE  
PRIZE MONEY YOU CAN PAY FOR  
THAT WOMAN'S DRESS AND I'LL BE  
ABLE TO SPEND THE  
**REST OF THE DAY**  
WITH YOU! .. AND I  
JUST **KNOW** THIS  
VACUUM CLEANER  
WILL BE JUST WHAT  
YOUR MOTHER  
NEEDS!

--AND POP  
WILL BE  
ABLE TO  
USE THE  
**TEETH AND  
WIG** IN A  
FEW YEARS,  
**TOO!**



NOT EVERYBODY CAN GO OUT AND SELL A VACUUM, MRS. MAHOULAHAN! YOU'VE GOT TO HAVE A HEAD FOR IT!

YOU'RE JUST THE MAN FOR THE JOB, WILL BRAGG! YOUR HEAD IS A PERFECT VACUUM!

**Will Bragg**



COME QUICK, MRS. MAHOULAHAN! WILL BRAGG MUST BE SICK OR SOMETHING!

WHY? WHAT'S THE MATTER, EFFIE?



HE'S IN THERE READING THE WANT ADS!

WILL BRAGG LOOKING FOR A JOB? HE REALLY MUST BE SICK!

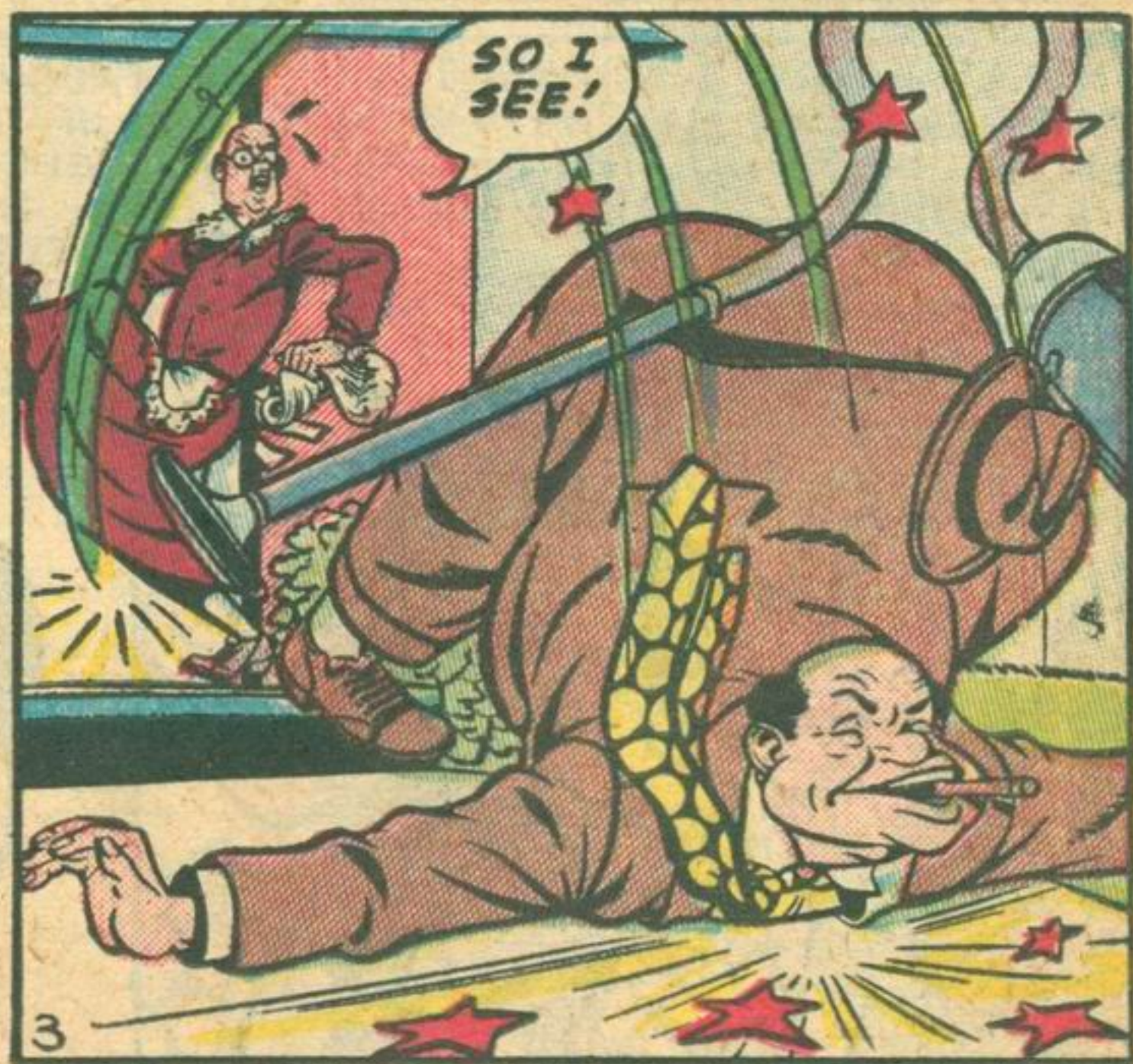
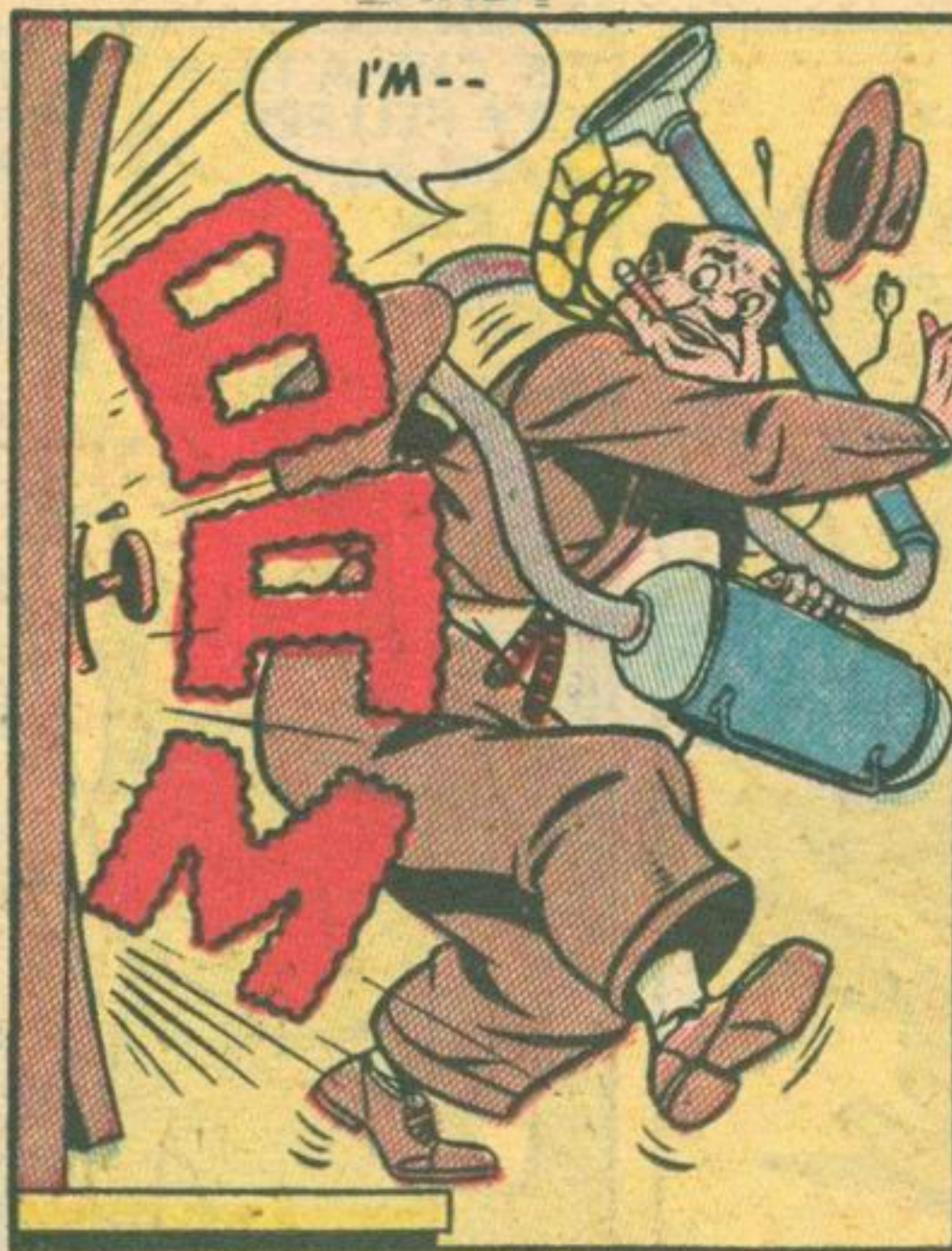








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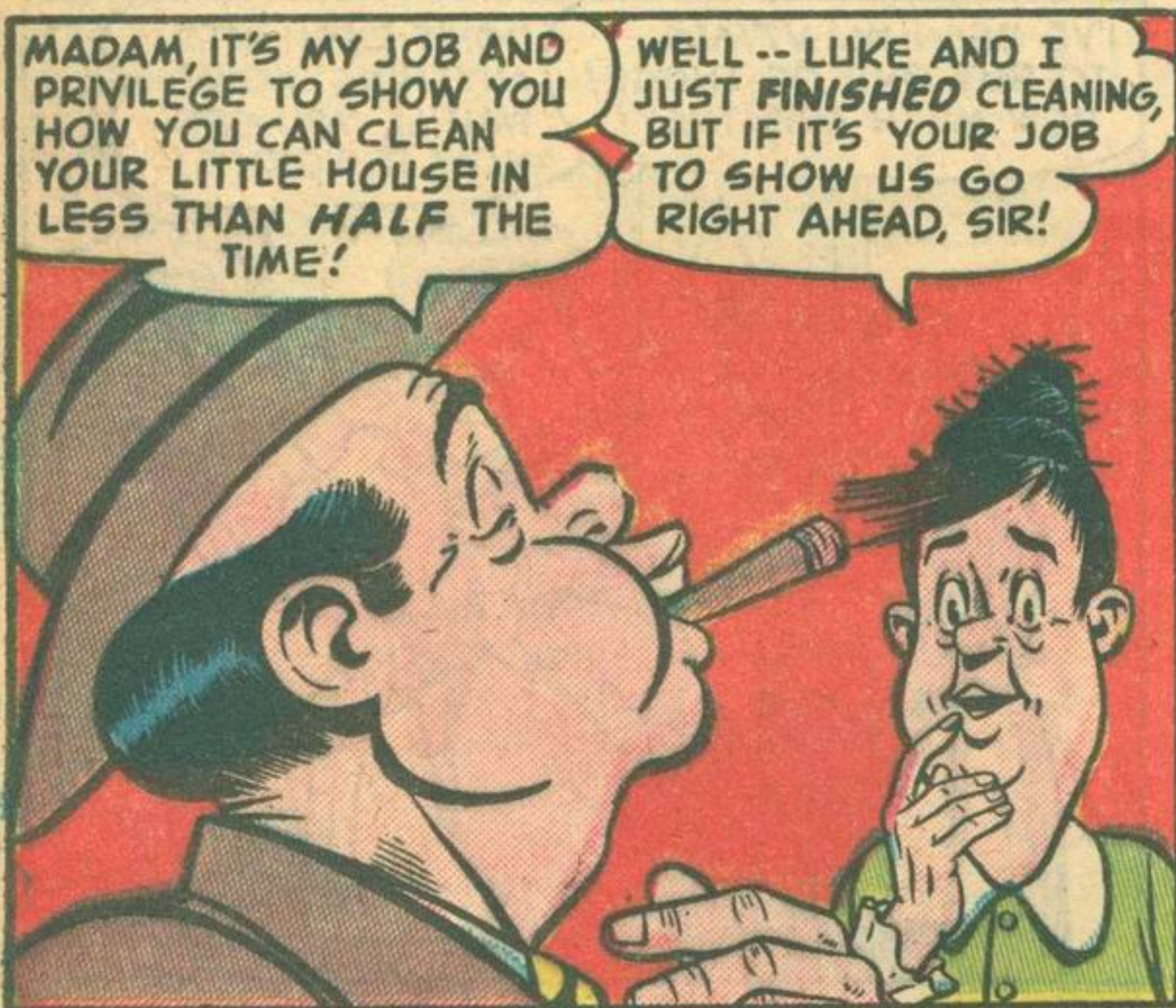
CITY PEOPLE ARE TOO SPOILED TO APPRECIATE THE WONDERS OF A GADGET LIKE THIS! I'LL DO MUCH BETTER OUT HERE IN THE COUNTRY!



IT'S ONE-A THEM CITY FELLERS, MAW! KIN I RUN 'IM OUT?

OF COURSE NOT, LUKE! COME IN, SIR!

OH, BROTHER! THIS IS GONNA BE TOO EASY!



MADAM, IT'S MY JOB AND PRIVILEGE TO SHOW YOU HOW YOU CAN CLEAN YOUR LITTLE HOUSE IN LESS THAN HALF THE TIME!

WELL -- LUKE AND I JUST FINISHED CLEANING, BUT IF IT'S YOUR JOB TO SHOW US GO RIGHT AHEAD, SIR!



THANK YOU, MA'AM! OF COURSE I WILL HAVE TO DIRTY THE RUG UP A BIT TO SHOW YOU WHAT I MEAN!

AGNNN!

DOWN, LUKE!



THE NICE MAN IS GOING TO CLEAN IT ALL UP FOR US, AREN'T YOU, SIR?

YOU BET I AM! NOW --- WHERE'S THE NEAREST LIGHT SOCKET?

ABOUT FIVE MILES UP THE ROAD, I GUESS! WE DON'T HAVE ANY ELECTRICITY OUT THIS FAR! WHY?

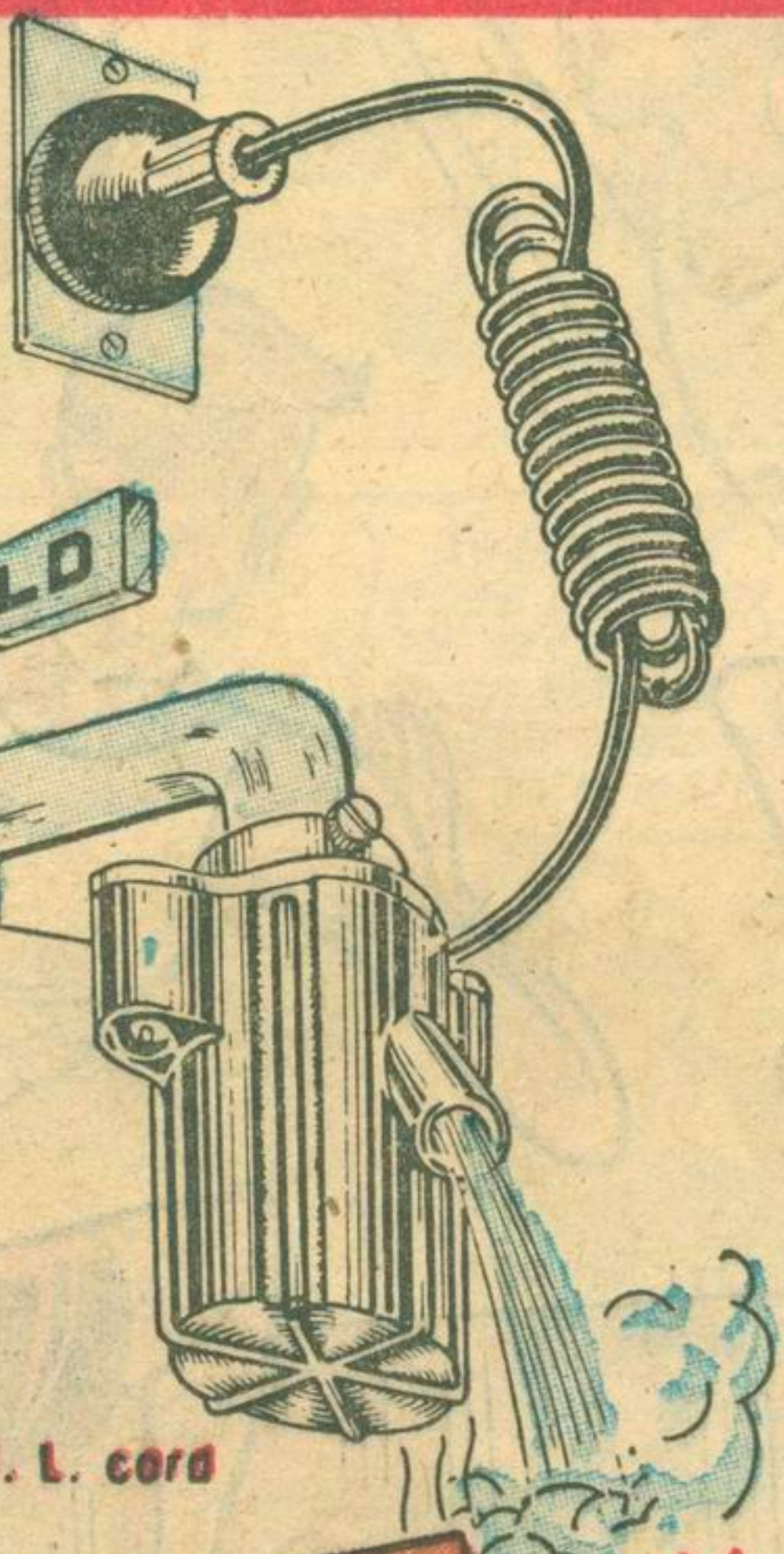


LATER! YOU'LL BE OKAY IN A COUPLE OF WEEKS, WILL! WANT ME TO CHEER YOU UP BY READING YOU THE WANT ADS?

AHH SHADDUP!



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**SOLD ON A 10 DAY MONEY BACK GUARANTEE!**



# CANDY

YAHOO!!

'SPEEDY' SMITH JUST MADE ANOTHER BASKET! ISN'T HE JUST TOO WONDERFUL FOR WORDS, TED?

I COULD THINK OF A FEW WORDS THAT WOULD FIT HIM!



YOO-HOO!!  
ATTABOY, SPEEDY!!  
OH, HE'S SUCH A  
WONDERFUL  
BASKET-BALL  
PLAYER!

... IF HE COULD GET HIS HEAD  
TO LIGHT UP, HE'D MAKE A  
WONDERFUL LAMP-POST,  
TOO!

WHY, TED! ... I DO  
BELIEVE YOU'RE  
JEALOUS OF  
SPEEDY BECAUSE  
HE'S SO TALL  
AND GRACEFUL!

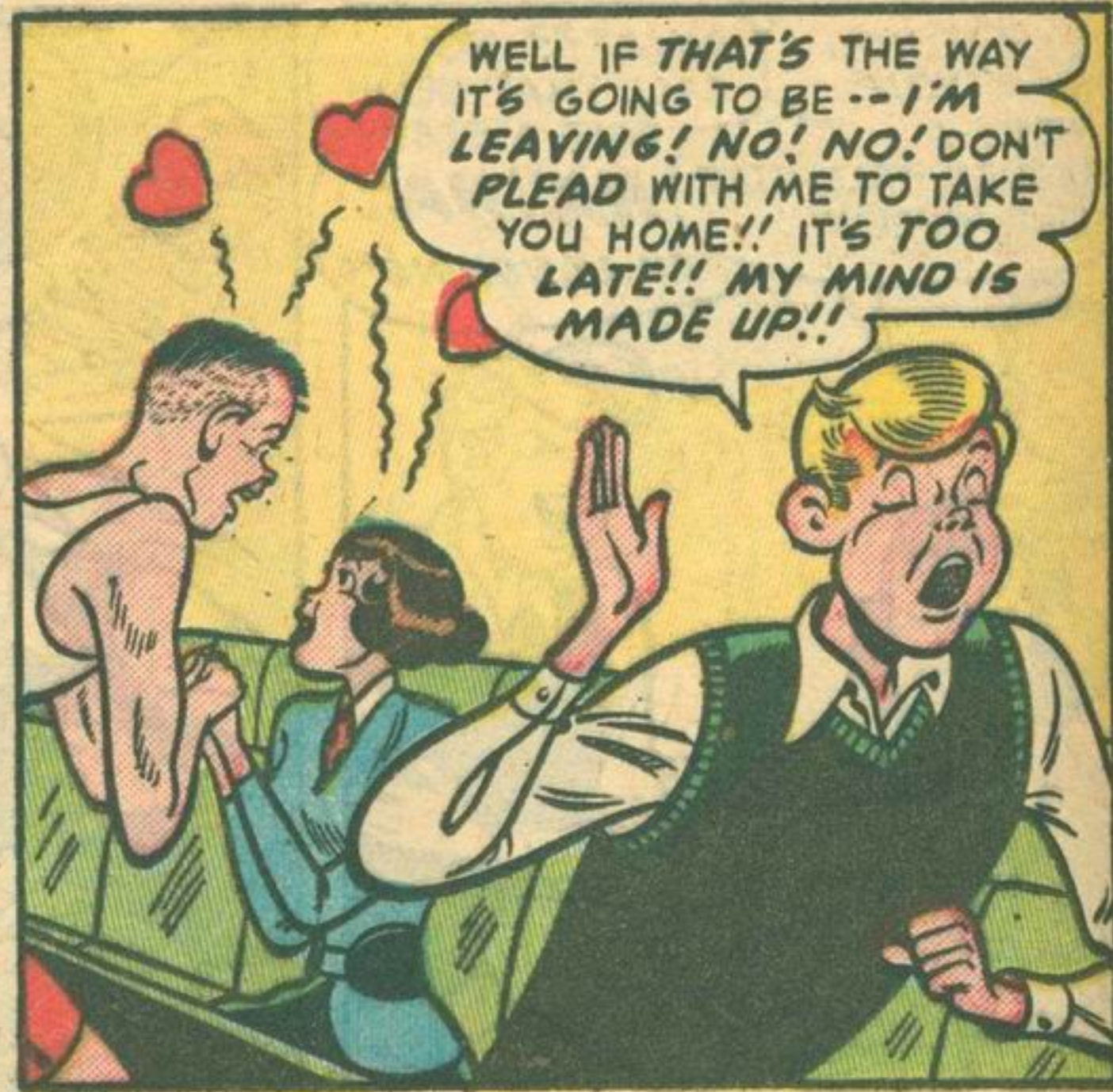
WHO ME?? --  
JEALOUS OF THAT  
GIRAFFE?? I  
COULD LOOK LIKE  
THAT TOO, IF I'D  
RUN MYSELF THROUGH  
A CLOTHES-WRINGER!



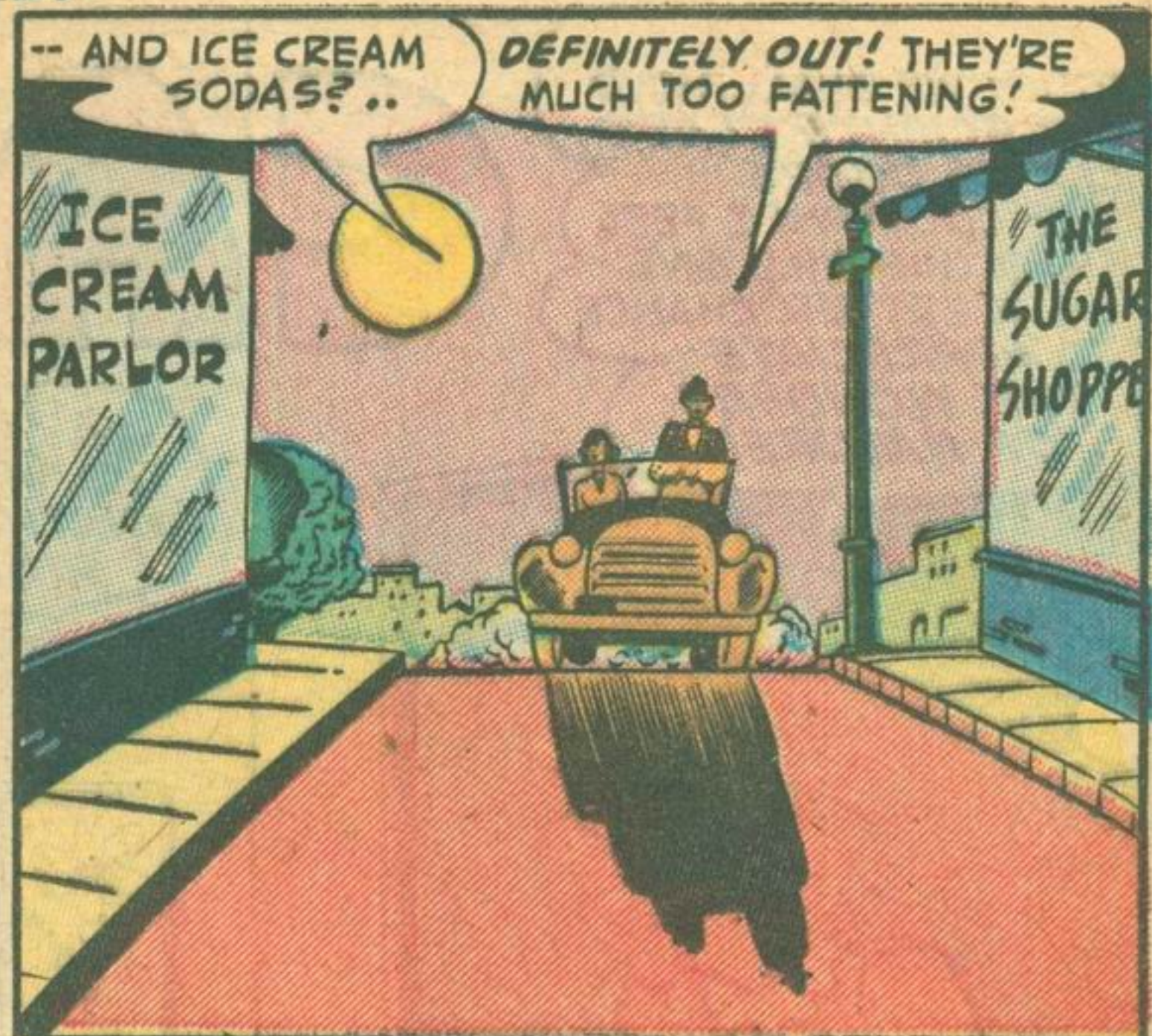














# CANDY

TODAY WE SHALL HOLD OUR **SCIENCE CLASS** OUT OF DOORS IN THE COUNTRY! I FEEL THAT THIS WILL GIVE US A BETTER CHANCE TO APPRECIATE THE WONDERS OF NATURE!



-- SIGH! -- I CAN APPRECIATE THE WONDERS OF NATURE FROM RIGHT HERE!

I WISH I COULD SAY THE SAME, BUT I HAVE TO LOOK AT YOUR FACE ALL DAY!



WHY DON'T YOU TAKE A LESSON FROM THE MILK-WEED! THEY KNOW WHEN TO DRY UP AND BLOW AWAY!

JUST KEEP TALKING AND I WILL! THE HOT AIR IS ALREADY MAKING ME SHRIVEL!



WE'RE GOING TO DIVIDE THE CLASS INTO SECTIONS, AND SEARCH FOR THE **LAXIBILIOUS METAMORPHI** IN ITS NATURAL HABITAT! THE TEAM TO BRING BACK THE BEST SPECIMEN WILL BE EXCUSED FROM HOMEWORK FOR THE REST OF THE WEEK!

**BROTHER!** FOR THAT I'D TURN MYSELF IN TO A MUSEUM AS A **LAXIBILIOUS METAMORPHI** RIGHT NOW!

ON YOU IT WOULD BE AN IMPROVEMENT, BELIEVE ME!





OH ISN'T IT **WONDERFUL**, TED? WE'VE ALL BEEN ASSIGNED TO THE SAME GROUP! YOU **ASHLEY HARTBURN** AND I!

**ASHLEY HARTBURN?**

WE'RE GOING OUT TO **LOOK FOR BUGS!** .. WHY TAKE ONE WITH US?

IT TAKES ONE TO CATCH ONE!

OH, DON'T BE LIKE THAT, TED! YOU **KNOW** ASHLEY IS THE **BEST SCIENCE STUDENT** IN THE SCHOOL! BESIDES, **THREE HEADS ARE BETTER THAN ONE!**

NOT WHEN **TWO OF THEM ARE ASHLEY'S!**



WE'LL DIVIDE UP INTO OUR ASSIGNED GROUPS NOW, AND MEET BACK AT THE SCHOOL IN AN HOUR! GOOD LUCK TO YOU ALL!

HAVE WE GOT EVERYTHING, TED?

I THINK WE FORGOT THE **KITCHEN SINK!**

THAT'S ALRIGHT! IF WE NEED A **DRIP**, WE'VE ALWAYS GOT YOU!

PANT! PUFF! HEY, HARTBURN! HOW ABOUT YOU CARRYING SOMETHING?

I AM CARRYING SOMETHING! A **TORCH FOR CANDY!**



**HOLD IT!!** I SEE A RARE SPECIES OF **MULTIPLEX SUBTRACTUS!!** QUICK!! GIVE ME MY NET!!

WHAT AM I, A **BUTTERFLY CADDY?**



**WHAMMO!!** GOT IT!!



**YOU BRUTE!!** HOW DARE YOU??

YOU GOT IT ALL RIGHT, NATURE BOY! **RIGHT BETWEEN THE EYES!**

OH, DEAR!





**YAWWK!! YAWWK!!**

THE GREAT NATURALIST HIMSELF!!  
INSTEAD OF A BUTTERFLY  
HE CATCHES A MOUSE!  
I'M TOO WEAK FROM  
LAUGHING TO STAND UP!

WELL THEN  
WHY DON'T  
YOU SIT DOWN?  
I'D HATE TO SEE  
YOU STRAIN THAT  
GREAT SCIENTIFIC  
BRAIN OF YOURS!



**YEEEE-OOWW!!**

**CREEPERS!! --  
A PORCUPINE!!**

WONDERFUL  
ANIMALS  
PORCUPINES!



THAT TRICK  
WAS TYPICAL  
OF YOU,  
HARTBURN!  
YOU  
BACK-  
STABBER!!

**HYAR! HYAR!**  
THAT'S ONE WAY  
OF GETTING  
CLOSE TO NATURE!  
COME ALONG,  
CANDY WE'VE  
WASTED ENOUGH  
TIME WITH THIS  
BUFFOON!

**LISTEN, MEAT-  
HEAD! IT'S  
CANDY AND I  
THAT MAKE UP  
THIS TEAM!!  
WE JUST  
BROUGHT  
YOU  
ALONG FOR  
COMEDY  
RELIEF!!**

THAT'S WHAT  
YOU THINK,  
BUSTER!  
I'M JUST  
LETTING YOU  
TAG ALONG  
FOR  
CANDY'S  
SAKE! SHE  
HAS A WEAK  
SPOT FOR  
MORONS!

A MORON  
AM I?? I'LL  
SHOW YOU  
WHO'S A  
MORON!!

I'M  
ALREADY  
CONVINCED!

PLEASE,  
BOYS!  
NO  
FIGHTING!



WE'LL NEVER FIND THAT  
BUG IF YOU TWO KEEP ON  
ARGUING LIKE THIS! JUST  
TO SHOW THAT I'M  
IMPARTIAL, I'LL GO OUT  
TONIGHT WITH THE ONE  
WHO BRINGS BACK A  
SPECIMEN OF THE  
WHATCHAMACALLIT!

**LAXIBILIOUS  
METAMORPHI!**  
.. HABITAT:  
**HOLLOW  
TREE  
TRUNKS!**

THAT'S OKAY BY ME!  
THAT CREEP COULDN'T  
FIND A ROPE IF IT  
WAS TIED AROUND  
HIS NECK

I'LL WAIT  
RIGHT  
HERE  
FOR  
YOU!

DON'T GO AWAY,  
PRINCESS! I'LL BE  
BACK IN AN INSTANT  
WITH THE INSECT!

WHICH ISN'T  
A BAD IDEA!





SO, THEY LIVE IN HOLLOW TREE TRUNKS, EH? THAT HARTBURN CHARACTER IS EVEN DUMBER THAN I THOUGHT, GIVING AWAY TRADE-SECRETS LIKE THAT!



HOT DOG! THERE'S A HOLLOW TREE-TRUNK NOW!! THAT SPECIMEN'S AS GOOD AS MINE, NOW -- AND CANDY, TOO!



BOY! IT'S DARKER IN HERE THAN MY PROSPECTS OF GETTING MY ALLOWANCE RAISED!

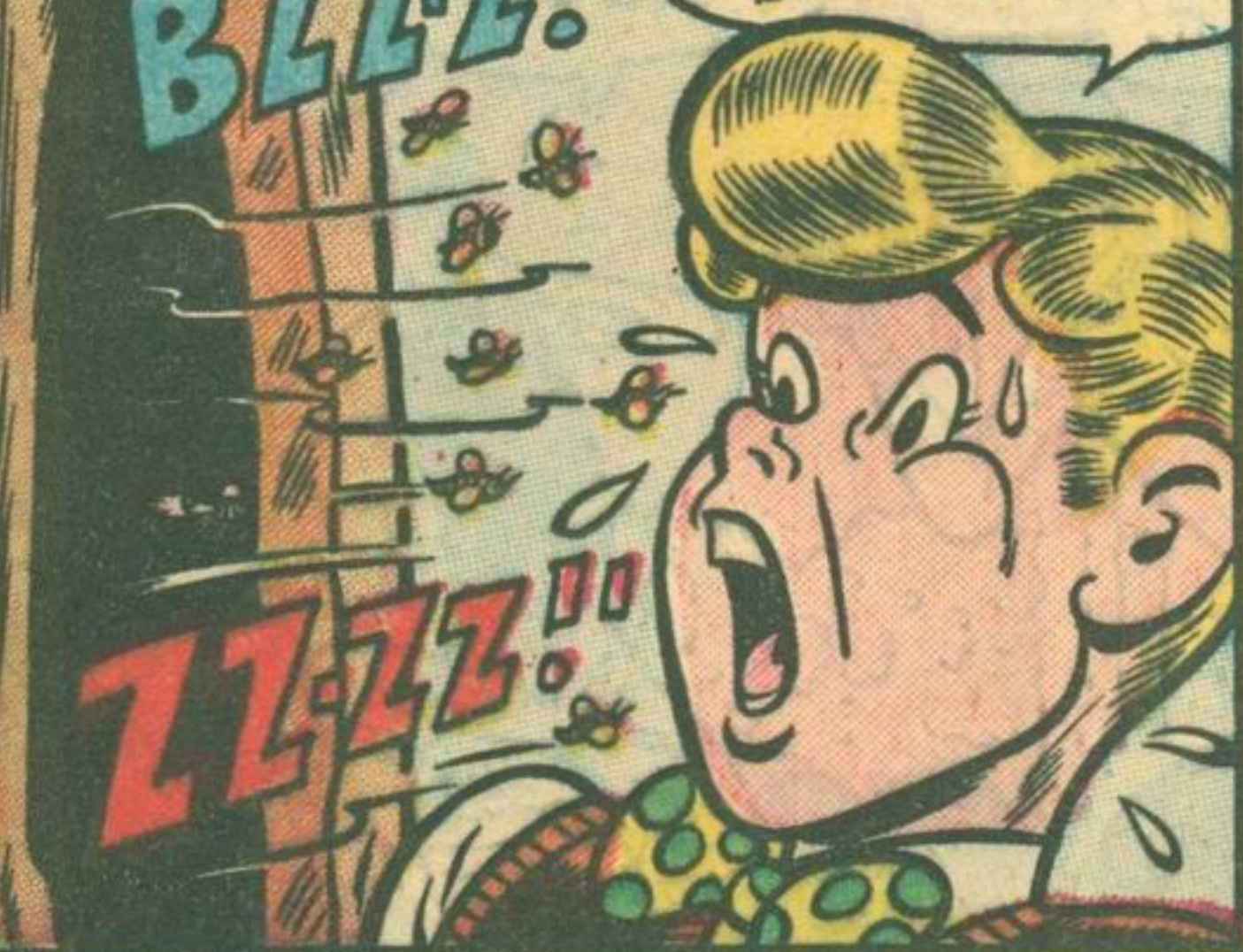
HERE, LAXY, OLD BOY! COME TO POPPA!



YAWWKLE?!  
B-BEES!!!

BZZ-Z!

ZZ-ZZ!!



H-HE WENT THAT WAY!

ZZ-ZOOM!!



MEANWHILE

AH, SUCCESS!!  
A GENUINE LAXIBILIOUS  
METAMORPHI!

NOW I KNOW  
HOW STANLEY FELT  
WHEN HE DISCOVERED  
LIVINGSTON!

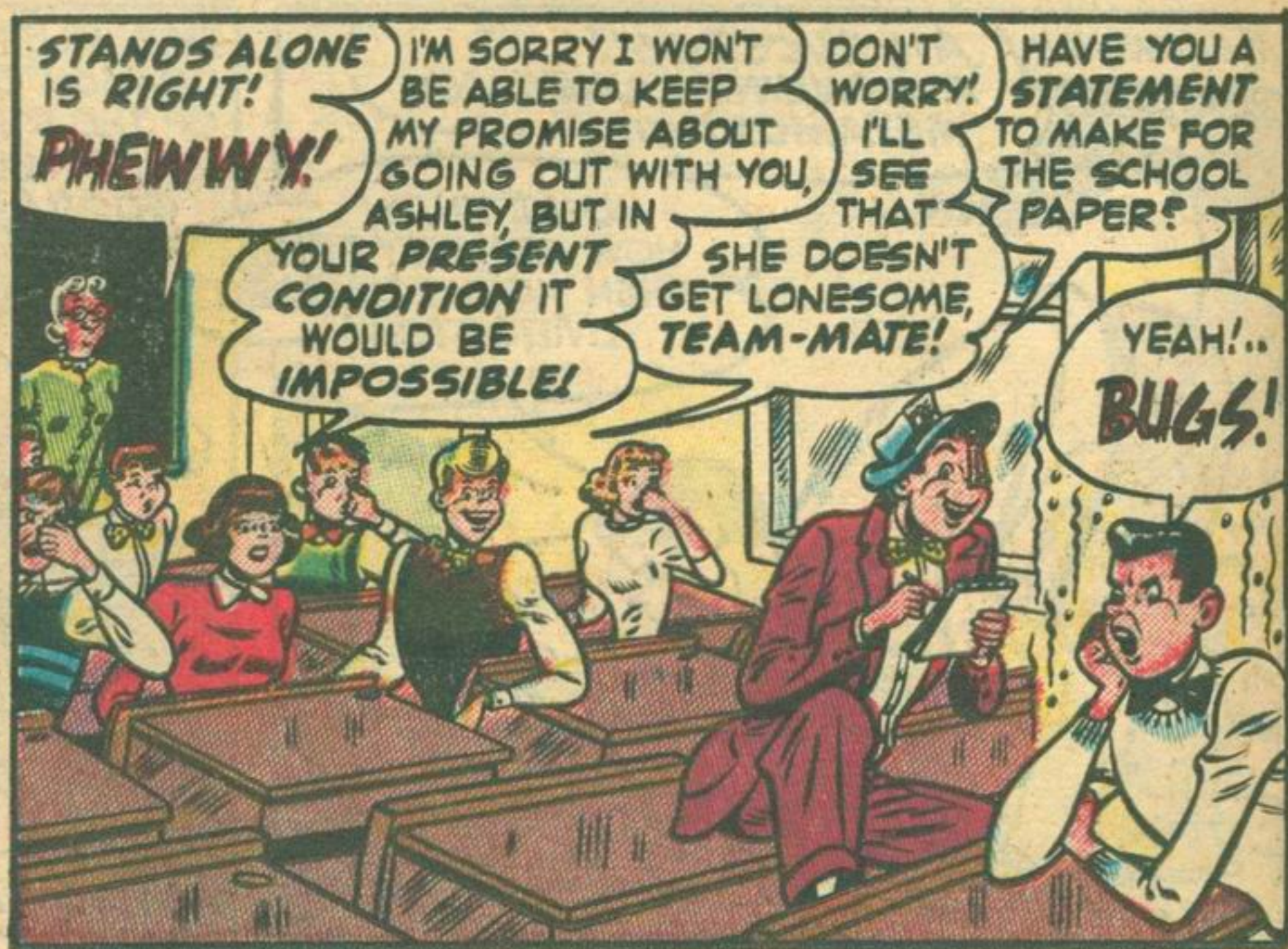


THIS WILL PUT THAT  
DAWSON CREEP OUT  
OF THE RUNNING WITH  
CANDY -- BUT  
GOOD!

HYAR!! HYAR!!  
I'LL BET HE FELL  
FOR THAT GAG  
ABOUT THEIR  
LIVING IN  
HOLLOW  
TREE-  
TRUNKS!









# CANDY

DADDYKINS!... IS IT ALL RIGHT IF I BORROW YOUR CAR TO PICK UP THE GANG? THEY'VE BEEN DRIVING ME TO SCHOOL ALL WEEK AND TODAY'S MY TURN!

WHUZZAT?... HUH??  
... OH SURE! GO AHEAD.. HERE ARE THE KEYS!



GOOD IDEA, CAR-POOLS! WISH WE HAD THEM WHEN I WAS A YOUNG GIRL!...



YOUNG GIRL??!  
**YIKES!!!**  
CANDY DOESN'T EVEN KNOW HOW TO DRIVE!



AGNES! WE'VE GOT TO DO SOMETHING! SHE'LL KILL HERSELF!...OR MAYBE EVEN STRIP THE GEARS!!

OH HOW COULD SHE? SHE WOULDN'T EVEN KNOW HOW!





DON'T GET SO HYSTERICAL, TIM! YOU'VE ALWAYS SAID THE BEST WAY TO TEACH A PERSON TO SWIM IS TO THROW THEM INTO A POOL!

YES, BUT NOT INTO A CAR-POOL!! OH, MY BRAND NEW AUTOMATIC SUPER FLUSH DRIVE!



THAT DAUGHTER OF YOURS IS ALWAYS TAKING ADVANTAGE OF ME! SHE KNOWS I DON'T KNOW WHAT I'M SAYING SO EARLY IN THE MORNING! I'LL SHOW HER WHO WEARS THE PANTS IN THIS FAMILY!

YOU'D BETTER PUT THEM ON FIRST!



QUICK! FOLLOW THAT BLUE SEDAN!!

OKAY, SHERLOCK! BUT I CAN'T LEAVE THE TRACKS! IT'S AGAINST THE LAW!



IT'LL BE EASY TO FOLLOW! WITH MY DAUGHTER DRIVING, IT'S PROBABLY RUNNING ALONG THE WIRES!

THAT'S AGAINST THE LAW, TOO! SHE COULD GET ELECTROCUTED FOR THAT!



MEANWHILE!

WELL, TINA! HERE I AM! I DROVE HERE ALL BY MYSELF!

GOSH! COMPLETELY AROUND THE CORNER!



CANDY, YOU MUST BE SOME KIND OF A GENIUS! YOU MEAN YOUR POP ACTUALLY GAVE YOU PERMISSION TO USE HIS CAR?

YES, BUT HE DOESN'T REALIZE IT YET! IT SHOULD BE SINKING IN RIGHT ABOUT NOW!



LET'S SEE! FIRST WE HAVE TO PICK UP TRISH, JULIE, ARTHUR, CHUCK, AGATHA, LEOPOLD, ROSEMARY, PAUL, SYLVESTER, RHODA, AND STANLEY! AND THE OTHERS CAN SIT IN THE BACK SEAT!





I'M REALLY SORRY I DIDN'T LEARN TO DRIVE SOONER! I NEVER REALIZED HOW MUCH I WAS MISSING!

YOU MEAN LIKE LAMP-POSTS AND PEDESTRIANS AND THINGS?



ULP! BOY, THIS IS BETTER THAN EXERCISING! I COULD LOSE 2 OR 3 POUNDS THIS WAY EVERY MORNING EASILY!

JUST THINK, TINA! .. ONLY ONE MORE BLOCK TO GO TO BREAK MY OLD RECORD OF 2 1/2 CONSECUTIVE BLOCKS WITHOUT AN ACCIDENT!



ONE WAY

I KNEW THAT STREAK OF YOURS WOULDN'T LAST!

OH, DEAR!

**CRASH!**



HEY, SISTER!! CAN'T YOU READ?? THIS IS A ONE WAY STREET!!

DON'T BE SILLY! I ONLY WAS GOING ONE WAY!

YEAH! THE WRONG WAY!



SO YOU THINK THIS IS A BIG JOKE EH? I COULD HAVE YOUR LICENSE TAKEN AWAY FOR THIS!

NO YOU COULDN'T! I DON'T HAVE ONE!

N-NO DRIVER'S LICENSE?? THEN HOW DO YOU DRIVE?

OH, WITH THESE NEW AUTOMATIC SUPER-FLUSH DRIVES, IT'S REALLY VERY EASY! YOU JUST PUT YOUR FOOT ON THE GAS AND IT GOES!

YOU REALLY SHOULD BUY ONE! THEN MAYBE YOU WOULDN'T HAVE SO MANY ACCIDENTS!

THIS MUST ALL BE SOME HORRIBLE NIGHTMARE! I KNEW I SHOULDN'T HAVE HAD THAT PICKLE SANDWICH LAST NIGHT!





THERE SHE IS!! -- MY BABY!! SHE'S BEEN IN AN ACCIDENT!! DON'T WORRY SWEETHEART!! DADDY'S HERE!!

BOY! THIS GUY'S GONE OFF 2 TROLLEYS IN ONE DAY! .. MINE AND HIS!



DADDY! WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE?

L-LISTEN, MISTER, YOU CAN'T PROSECUTE HER! SHE'S JUST A CHILD!! P-PLEASE DON'T SEND HER TO PRISON! SHE'S ALREADY MISSED TOO MANY CLASSES!!

I'M GUILTY!! I DID IT!! IT WAS ALL MY FAULT!! I'LL CONFESS TO STARTING WORLD WAR II!! ANYTHING!! ONLY JUST TAKE HER AWAY!! THAT'S ALL I ASK!!

HUH??

NOW I SEE HOW WOMEN LAWYERS WIN THEIR CASES!



MEANWHILE!

ALL RIGHT! BREAK IT UP! WHAT IS THIS, THE NATIONAL LOLLYPOP-EATER'S CONVENTION??

WE'RE JUST WAITING FOR OUR FRIEND CANDY, OFFICER! WE'RE ALL IN A CAR POOL!

IT FEELS MORE LIKE WE'RE ALL IN A SARDINE CAN!

SHE'S FIFTEEN MINUTES LATE ALREADY! I'LL GIVE HER A RING AND SEE WHAT'S UP!



CANDY, ARE YOU STILL HOME?? THE WHOLE GANG'S BEEN STANDING ON THE CORNER ALL MORNING! NOW WE'LL ALL HAVE TO WALK TO SCHOOL!

WHAT ARE YOU COMPLAINING ABOUT? AT LEAST YOU'LL BE ABLE TO SIT DOWN WHEN YOU GET THERE!...





# CANDY-COATED

CANDY



# CAPER



CANDY (Don't-Call-Me-Candace) O'CONNER was riding to the Hartwick High Masquerade Party, in a taxi, but not even Ted Dawson, her almost steady heart throb, would have known her. Candy was dressed as a Spanish dancer—strapless bodice, full fandango skirt, high-heeled red slippers. Impressive but phony jewels glittered on fingers, wrists, ankles, neck. Her hair was built into an impressive Castilian coiffure that helped the heels make her look six inches taller. She wore a high comb and carried a fan. A half mask concealed her perky nose and merry eyes, and a mantilla swept down to alter the lines of her face. She hoped that she was as unrecognizable as she felt.

"Tonight I'm a heartfree senorita," she said to herself as she left the taxi at the ballroom door and heard the lively music inside. "Ted is a sweet boy—for a boy—but the idea of this party is to get away from steady company that may grow monotonous. I'll dance with everybody. If I see Ted, I'll pretend not to know him, and I'll avoid him. Tomorrow we can start the jukebox and soda circuit together again."

Inside, a swirling throng of masked, costumed figures greeted her eyes. There were clowns, knights in armor, hula dancers, harem beauties, powder-wigged shepherdesses, cowboys, Indians and hoboes. Candy did not bother to guess who of her schoolmates were hidden under all these disguises. She was waiting for some boy—any boy—to ask her to dance.

"Que hay, Senorita," said an accented voice at her elbow. She turned to see a gracefully bowing masked figure in a bullfighter costume—jewelled jacket, tight sash, athletic shoulders, sleek black hair under a dashing slanted cap. Teeth flashed a smile from beneath a gay moustache. "I theenk we dance thees wan together, no?"

"We dance thees wan together, yes!" cried Candy, hastily faking an accent of her own. "Por favor, Senor!"

The music started, and they slid into a lively, graceful partnership. The costume helped Candy to dance as never before. Or was it her companion? Nimble-footed, swift-moving, sure and masterly, he swung her through figure after figure of the dance, until other couples stopped to watch. When the dance was over, a burst of applause swelled around them. And Candy saw someone coming toward them—the burly, loutish figure of Porky Pickler, recognizable for all his costume as a court jester.

"Looka here," squeaked Porky. "I wanna dance with this dish in the Chile-Con-Carne costume—"

"For you, *mi querida*," whispered the bullfighter in Candy's ear, "I face and fight thees bull. Yes? No?"

In a trice, the graceful figure swirled and snapped his cape in Porky's face. Porky, taken by surprise, jumped back, tripped over his own big feet, and fell with a thump. Loud laughter rang, and the music began again. Capably, Candy's mysterious partner led her into faster and more spectacular dance steps. He must be a professional, thought Candy—perhaps even a movie star who might be visiting briefly in Hartwick.

"You, my pretty wan," he said to her, "you have perhaps the sweetheart, the fiance, no?"

"Not yet, I—" Candy was about to say that she was too young to think of such things, but caught herself just in time. "I theenk it better to consider the many offers I receive. As yet, my heart, she ees untouched," she managed.

"It may be that I, unworthy though I am, might touch that heart," he said. And Candy wondered—

Dance after dance flew by, always with the bullfighter. Midnight came. The costume judges rose and announced the prize winners—the spectacular pair of Spaniards. Loud applause greeted the decision.

"And now we'll all unmask!" announced the chaperon.

"I hope he won't think I'm just a bread-and-butter schoolgirl," thought Candy as she took off her mask, and stared.

The bullfighter had doffed his cap, and, with it, the sleek black wig. A flip took away the false moustache. The mask fell from his face—and revealed the grinning young features of Ted Dawson.

"TED!" shrieked Candy.

"Surprised, are you?" he said.

"No! I knew it was you, all the time!" replied Candy, sure that she had known.

"And so did I know you," said Ted, also trying to persuade himself that he told the truth. "We were a slight sensation, huh? I'm glad you stuck to me."

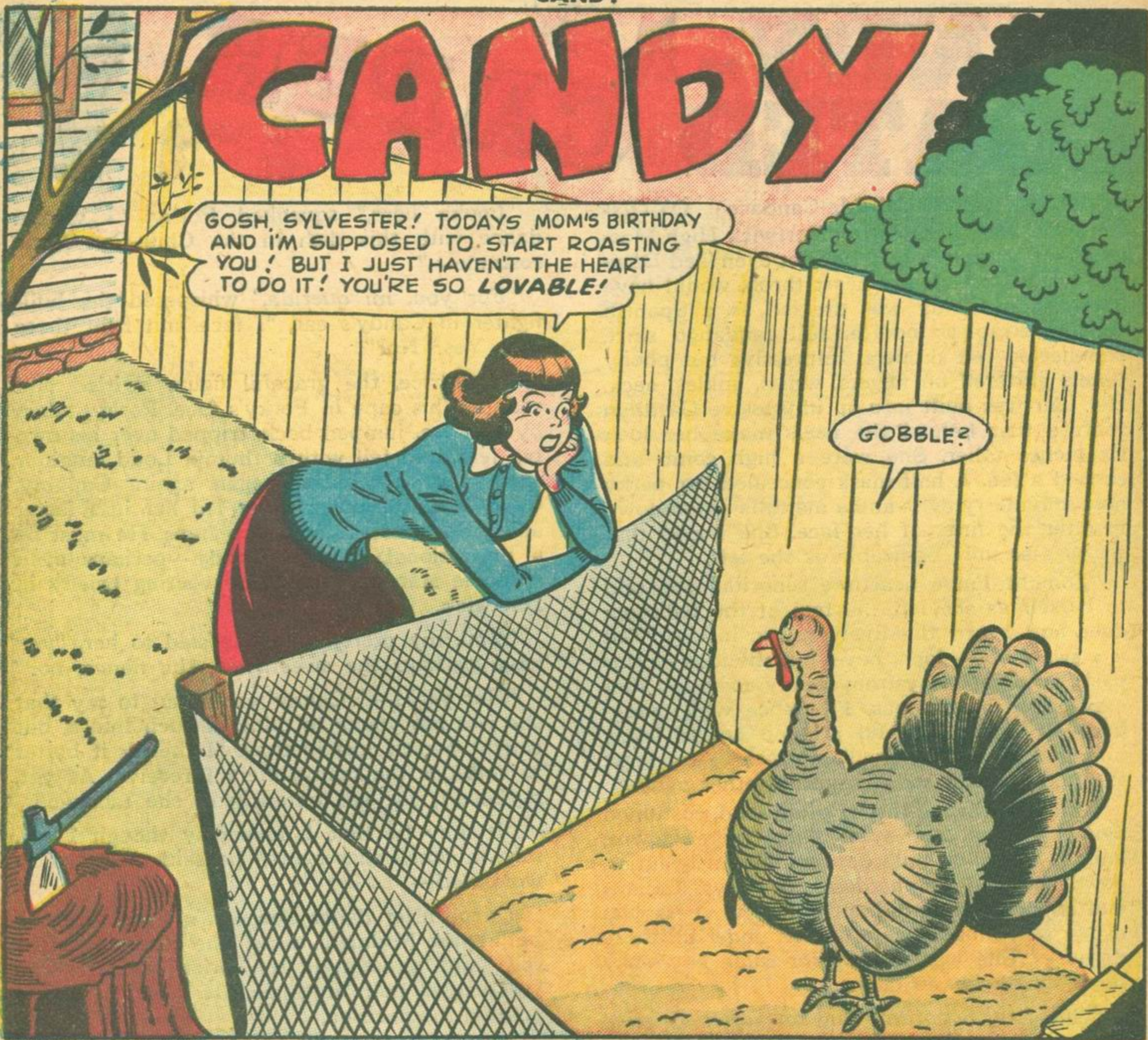
"Why shouldn't I stick to you?" laughed Candy. "Isn't my name Candy?"



# CANDY

GOSH, SYLVESTER! TODAY'S MOM'S BIRTHDAY AND I'M SUPPOSED TO START ROASTING YOU! BUT I JUST HAVEN'T THE HEART TO DO IT! YOU'RE SO *LOVABLE*!

GOBBLE?



I'D LOVE TO KEEP YOU FOR A PET, BUT WHAT WOULD MOM'S BIRTHDAY BE *WITHOUT TURKEY*? WHY DO YOU HAVE TO BE SO DELICIOUS, SYLVESTER?



I'LL HAVE TO GET TED TO KILL HIM! I COULDN'T BEAR THE THOUGHT OF SYLVESTER BEING MAD AT ME! AND I'M SURE HE *WOULD* BE IF I CHOPPED HIS HEAD OFF!





GLEEPERS? WHAT'S ALL THAT RACKET? IT SOUNDS LIKE A CEMENT-MIXER WITH INDIGESTION!

**CLINKLE!**  
**CLANK!**  
**BAM!**  
**CLATTER!!**  
**KLUNK!**



H'YA PIGEON! HOW DO YOU LIKE THE WAY THE OLD BUGGY SOUNDS SINCE I HAD THE MOTOR TUNED? JUST LISTEN TO HER IDLE!

OH TED! I'M SO GLAD IT'S YOU! YOU'VE JUST GOT TO HELP ME OUT! I'M DESPERATE!



WHAT'S THE PROBLEM, ANGEL-CAKE? YOU SOUND LIKE IT'S A MATTER OF LIFE OR DEATH!

THAT'S EXACTLY WHAT IT IS! IT'S SYLVESTER! I JUST CAN'T GET RID OF HIM!



OH, SOME PEST'S BEEN HANGING AROUND THE HOUSE BOTHERING YOU, EH? WELL JUST LEAD ME TO HIM! I'LL PUT SO MANY LUMPS ON HIS HEAD, IT'LL LOOK LIKE HIS BRAINS HAVE THE MEASLES!!

OH NO! DON'T DO THAT! I WANT TO HAVE HIM FOR DINNER!



HOW'S THAT AGAIN? YOU WANT TO GET RID OF HIM, BUT YOU ALSO WANT HIM FOR DINNER??

NATURALLY! WHAT COULD BE MORE LOGICAL?



I CAN SEE THIS SYLVESTER CHARACTER HAS YOU ALL UPSET! YOU'D BETTER SIT DOWN UNTIL YOUR HEAD CLEARS!

STOP STALLING, TED DAWSON! ARE YOU GOING TO HELP ME OR NOT?



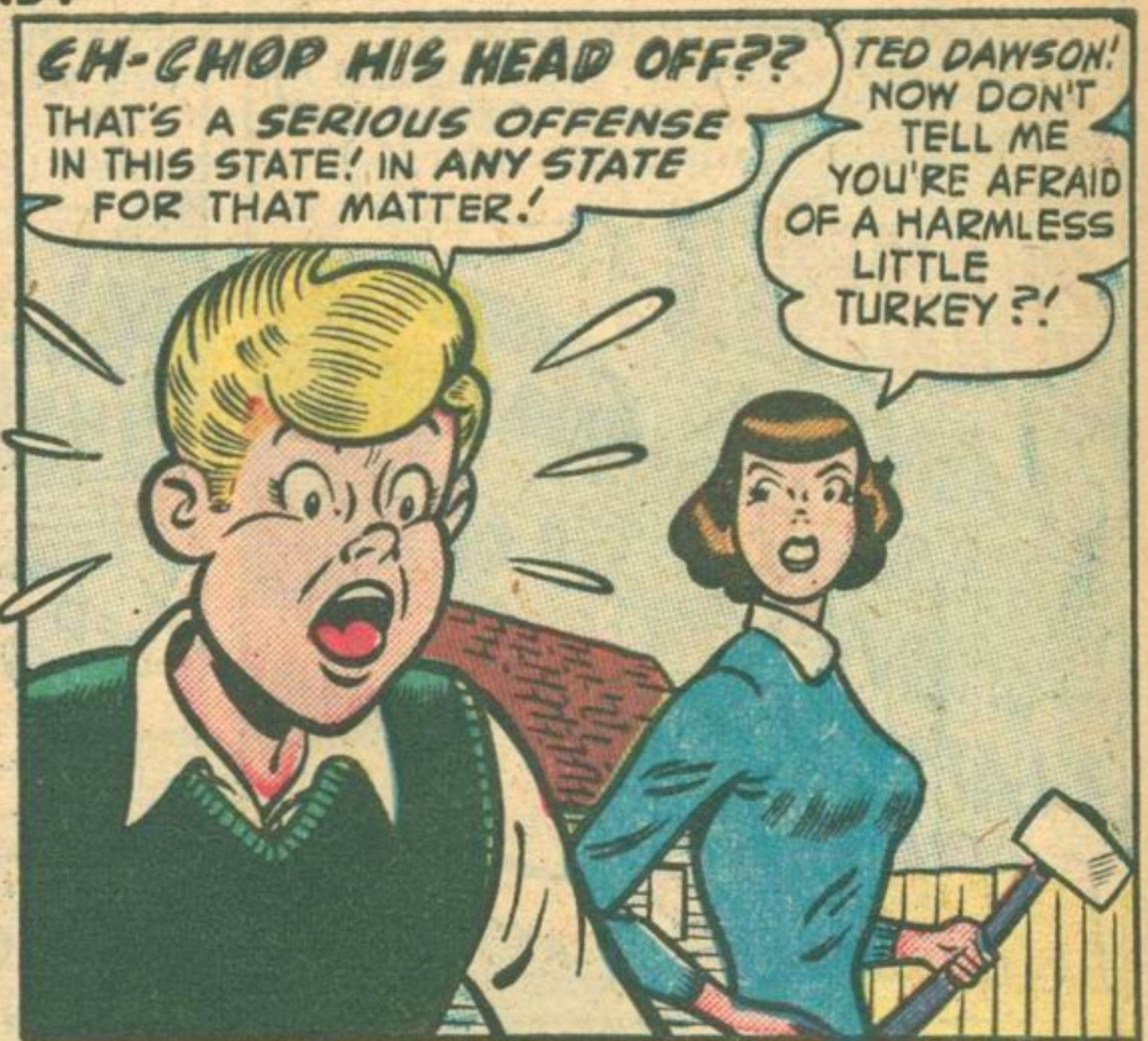
HE'S AROUND IN BACK OF THE HOUSE!

**Y-YIKE**  
**??!!**

HERE! YOU'LL NEED THIS AX!









PLEASE DON'T LOOK AT ME SO PITIFULLY, SYLVESTER! THIS IS GOING TO HURT ME MORE THAN IT DOES YOU, BELIEVE ME!



EEEE-YEEOW!!

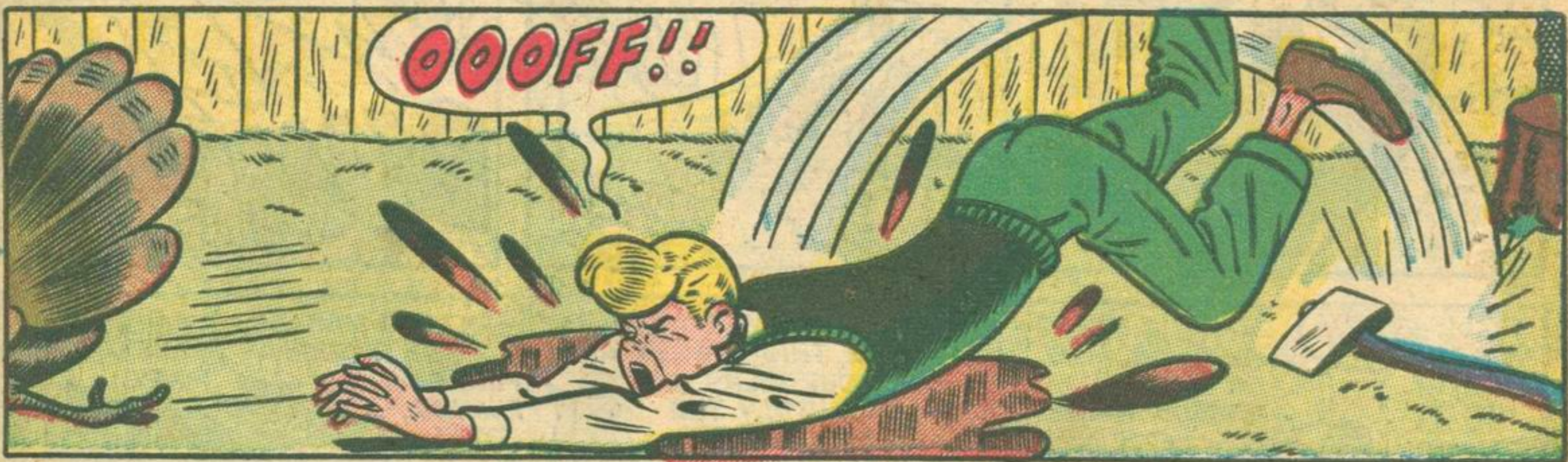


COME BACK HERE, YOU REFUGEE FROM A CRANBERRY PUDDING! GRR-RR!

SQWABBLE!!



OOOFF!!



POOR, SIMPLE SYLVESTER! I FEEL AS THOUGH I WERE SOME SORT OF CANNIBAL GETTING READY TO EAT HIM THIS WAY!



..I JUST CAN'T FORGET THE WAY HE LOOKED AT ME WITH THOSE SOFT RED EYES OF HIS WHEN I WAS LEAVING! HOW TRUSTING HE SEEMED!

SNIFF



..I MUST STOP THIS MASSACRE. I-I ONLY HOPE I'M NOT TOO LATE!!









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75. Men's Ring—sparkling simulated diamond. White or yellow gold color effect (1 kt. size stone).



68. Men's Ring—flashing extra large simulated diamond. White or yellow gold color effect.



66. Men's Ring—flashing simulated diamond—smaller stone on each side. White or yellow gold color effect.



73. Ladies' Cameo Ring. Yellow gold color effect.



44. Men's Wedding Ring. Yellow or white gold color effect, or sterling silver.



39. Ladies' Solitaire Ring. 3 sparkling simulated diamonds. White gold color effect.



53. Egyptian Ring—unusual design. Very odd.



64. Men's simulated large square cut ruby, also assorted colored stones. Yellow gold color effect.



74. Men's Ring—brilliant simulated diamond. Yellow gold color effect. Gypsy setting.



38. Ladies' Solitaire Ring. Center stone is genuine diamond chip. Solid sterling silver mounting.



23. Ladies' Engagement Ring, exceptionally brilliant simulated diamond. Tiffany Style setting. White or yellow gold color effect.



33. Large Ladies' Ring. Simulated diamond—2 smaller sized stones. Yellow or white gold color effect.



58. Indian Head Ring. Head is stamped in gold leaf.



20. Ladies' Engagement ring with 5 brilliant simulated diamonds. Yellow gold color effect.



57. Hand Carved Corozo Nut Ring—Indian Head.



70. Men's Ring—fine simulated diamond. Yellow gold color effect.



10. Child's Signet Ring. Yellow or white gold color effect or Sterling Silver.



7. Love & Friendship Ring. Solid sterling silver with 2 hearts linked. Forget-me-not design.



60. Ladies' Engagement Ring set with large center simulated diamond and small stones on sides. Yellow gold color effect.



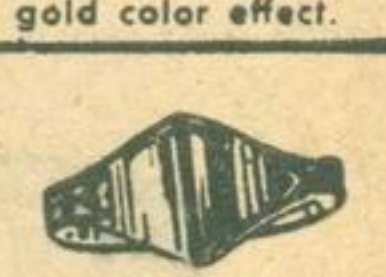
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67. Men's Ring—large brilliant simulated white diamond. White gold color effect.



12. Men's Ring with simulated diamond in square mounting. Yellow or white gold color effect.



35. Men's Signet Ring. White gold color effect or sterling silver.



43. Ladies' Wedding Band. 7 large brilliant simulated diamonds. White or yellow gold color effect or sterling silver.



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19. Ladies' Solitaire Engagement ring. Filigree mounting white gold color effect or sterling silver.



25. Ladies' Plain Wedding Band. Yellow or white gold color effect, or sterling silver.



30. Ladies' Birthstone Ring—imitation stones come in all colors. Sterling silver mounting (Stamped in Ring). State color or stone desired.



61. Ladies' Engagement Ring with 5 large brilliant simulated diamonds. Yellow gold color effect.



24. Love & Friendship Ring. Solid sterling silver. Beautifully engraved. Also used as Wedding ring.



37. Love & Friendship Ring. Chased design—also used as wedding ring. Yellow or white gold color effect, or sterling silver.



5. Men's Ring with single sparkling simulated diamond—yellow gold color effect.



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71. Ladies' Engagement ring. White gold color effect. Tiffany setting. Large single stone.



76. Ladies' Ring. Yellow gold color effect. (Fancy Design. Large single stone).



59. Wedding Ring—beautifully chased. Yellow or white gold color effect or solid sterling silver.



48. Wedding Band with sparkling simulated diamonds. White or yellow gold color effect or sterling silver.



41. Ladies' Solitaire Ring with large center simulated diamond and 6 smaller stones. Yellow or white gold color effect.



45. Corozo Nut Ring Hand Carved. Set with simulated pearl. (Comes in various designs.)



77. Ladies' Engagement Ring. Simulated diamond with smaller stone on each side. White gold color effect.



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